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## A Monument Worth While

The citizens of Ada are asked to help erect a Memorial Gateway at the Normal. Aside from the fact that this will be a monument to the boys of E. C. S. N. who fought our battles, it will be a source of pride for all our citizens. The teachers of the entire district are donating money for this monument. Should we, as citizens of Ada, do less?

They fought for us; we'll honor them.

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## ENTHUSIASM FOR GATEWAY GROWS

**President Gordon Pleased With Outlook.  
Professor MacMillan Gives  
Some Facts.**

President J. M. Gordon returned from Oklahoma City last night where he went to look after matters concerning the Normal School. Mr. Gordon went to the Secretary of State's office and looked over the bills that were passed having to do with East Central. He expressed himself as very much pleased with the situation. The entire appropriation for the Normal School at this time amounts to \$240,534.50. Taking out the \$100,000 for the new building leaves \$140,534.50 for the two years ending June 30, 1921. This is an increase of \$25,386.50 over that of the last legislature.

Mr. Gordon conferred with the State Board of Public Affairs relative to certain improvements for the president's home and the rearranging of the latrine for a bathhouse and dressing room for the gymnasium. He also discussed informally plans for the new building. State Architect H. A. Valeur will be in Ada Monday to go over the situation with President Gordon.

There is considerable enthusiasm in the school over the building of the memorial gateway, the construction of the new building, and other improvements. It is hoped that the gateway can be dedicated sometime in the early part of the summer term and ground broken at the same time for the building.

The interest manifest in the Memorial Gateway is extremely gratifying to the friends of the Normal school. But why should not we be interested? Some of our own Pontotoc county boys made the supreme sacrifice giving to the school an honor and a lustre that nothing else in the world could give it. The others, both those who fought and those who were denied this privilege, gave their service generously and nobly. And we want a fitting memorial in honor of them. But I was to discuss the raising of our part of the funds.

To repeat something that has been said before, all the eleven counties of the East Central district have a part in the raising of the funds. Each has its committee. County Superintendent A. Floyd is chairman of the committee for this county and Supt. J. E. Hickman is the member for the city of Ada. These men are laying their plans and will be members of the committees that canvass for funds. To be sure, the writer is co-operating most heartily with these men and will assist in every way possible. As to the rest, you will simply be given an opportunity to express in cash something of the appreciation you feel for the splendid work of our boys and of the interest you have in perpetuating, in a beautiful way, their matchless deeds. The amount for Ada and Pontotoc county is \$2,250; the time for the canvass, beginning at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Make checks payable to J. M. Gordon, president, and mark them "Memorial Gateway." They will then be endorsed over to P. A. Norris, treasurer. An auditing committee composed of M. R. Chilcutt, C. C. Randel, and C. H. Rives, will guarantee a careful expenditure of the funds.

Let me take this opportunity to thank heartily the firms who so generously contributed their advertising space in today's News. Read all these ads carefully as well as the one contributed by the Normal school faculty. Then "over the top" Tuesday.

J. M. GORDON.

### The Memorial Arch.

To the Editor.

President Gordon's appeal for funds to erect, at the entrance to the Normal grounds, a fitting memorial to the 400 young men who received, in part at least, their education at our state institution, should meet with the enthusiastic support of every lover of Ada and her great school.

The beautification of those grounds is an investment for every property owner in the city. It makes the environments of the pupils more attractive, broadens their education and, culturally speaking, food for their growing minds.

True it is, the war is over, and many of those who played such a splendid part are again with us. New ideas, however, are crowding fast upon us, and the way of yesterday has gone and a new vision comes in-

to view. As citizens we should meet the new world frankly.

No institution met the war conditions more faithfully or contributed more, accordingly, to final victory than East Central. If you doubt the statement, ask any young man from East Central who saw service, and I am sure he will GLADLY tell you his old school was faithful to her duty.

Those young men have a right to expect, and do expect, that their deeds, and their sacrifices, receive recognition. They wish to see some monument to their deeds—fittingly transmitting to posterity a remembrance of their fidelity to flag and country. As men we should satisfy that sentiment.

I believe every person in Ada will want to contribute to this fund and I believe without question that we will raise the amount very easily.

E. A. MacMILLAN.

## COVENANT IS COMPLETED

**MONROE DOCTRINE IS RECOGNIZED BY COMMISSION AT FINAL SESSIONS.**

By the Associated Press

PARIS, April 12.—With the single exception of the adoption of the amendment specifically exempting the Monroe Doctrine from the operation of the covenant, no vital change was made in the provisions of the league of nations covenant by the commission in its final sessions Thursday and Friday nights. Both the Japanese and French amendments were rejected. Last night's meeting marked the conclusion of the consideration of the league covenant.

## WAS IT WORK OF BOLSHEVISTS?

**INSUBORDINATE SOLDIERS ASKED QUESTIONS SUGGESTED BY ENEMY.**

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Company I of the 339th Infantry was identified today by General March as the unit which recently refused to return to the front line in the Archangel sector. A supplementary report said it was worthy of note that the questions the men put to their officers were identical "with questions which the Bolsheviki propaganda advised that they put to them." General March did not indicate what the latest reports showed as to the present state of discipline among the American force.

## R. W. SIMPSON WILL HEAD VICTORY DRIVE

R. W. Simpson has agreed to act as chairman of the Victory Loan drive in Pontotoc county. This will be a trying place to fill at this time, but Mr. Simpson was prevailed upon to carry it through. The quota for this county has not been announced.

Mr. Simpson has appointed Luther Harrison chairman of the speakers' bureau and W. D. Little chairman of the publicity committee.

Some people have luck — others have Kelly-Springfield Tires. The trouble with luck—you can't depend on it. Fleet Cooper, Service First. 4-10-9t.

## An Opportunity

The people of Ada have an opportunity to help their town and pay a tribute to the students of the Normal who went to war. We will not look upon this as a duty, but as an obligation.

Six of these will not come back. Let us preserve their memory not only in our hearts, but on stone.

Help erect the Memorial Gateway at the Normal.

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## HOW GERMAN SHIPS WILL BE DIVIDED

By the Associated Press

PARIS, April 12.—The supreme council has announced an agreement between the associated governments that enemy tonnage, both that required before and since the armistice, would be divided among these governments according to their ability to bring the ships into speedy use and in case of passenger ships according to their relative needs. This arrangement will not prejudice the ultimate disposition of the vessels under the terms of the peace treaty.

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## LABOR GETS RECOGNITION

**PEACE CONFERENCE COMMISSION REPORTS DRAFT OF REGULATIONS.**

By the Associated Press

PARIS, April 12.—The report of the commission on international labor legislation, containing a draft of the convention creating a permanent organization for promoting international regulation of labor conditions a recommendation for an international labor conference and detailed labor terms to be inserted in the peace treaty was presented this afternoon at a plenary session of the peace conference. The report aims to provide against lowering of labor conditions by permitting fierce competition after the war and a permanent international labor bureau to be established at the seat of the league of nations as part of the league to collect and distribute information on the adjustment of conditions.

### MASONS, NOTICE.

Ada Lodge No. 119, A. F. & A. M., meets in regular communication promptly at 8 o'clock tonight.—Miles C. Grigsby, W. M.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

## OUR MEMORIAL GATEWAY

We consider it a rare opportunity to have a part in the erection of the Memorial Gateway at the Normal. Had the authorities not given us this opportunity we should have felt badly.

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## PEACE TREATY ALMOST READY

By the Associated Press

PARIS, April 12.—The council of four, having agreed on other details of the peace treaty, will furnish the examination of the ques-

tion of boundaries Monday and will summon the German delegates to Versailles in course of next week to have the treaty submitted to them, according to Le Journal.

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in the fields of France.

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Let's donate plentifully.

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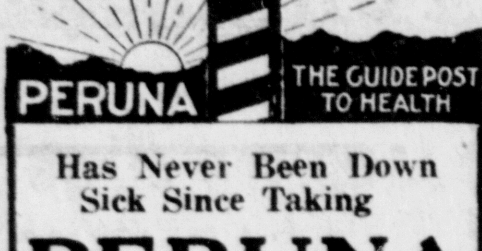
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**Why Diamond Is Prized.**

Of practical uses the diamond is not quite destitute—it is, for instance, the best of all abrasives—but these practical uses have almost or quite nothing to do with its popular esteem. That rests first on the poor claims established by cost and scarcity, and, second, on the survival in human beings of the ancient and savage delight in hanging about and fastening to the body bits of stone and metal that are brightly colored or shiny.

**Nothing Is Impossible.**

"A creature of marvel is this thing called man," observed the facetious philosopher. "He can ride in an automobile and run into debt at the same time."

## HAD CHRONIC STOMACH TROUBLE FIFTY YEARS

Mr. Pletz Finally Found How to End It—He's 88 Years Old.

"I had been afflicted for 50 years with chronic stomach trouble and dyspepsia, and spent hundreds of dollars trying to get relief. For years I have had to go to the water closet as often as eight or twelve times during the night, on account of my bowels. I had to be very careful what I ate and could not eat fruit at all. I have used but four bottles of Milks Emulsion and it has benefited me more than all the other medicines I have taken. I can go to bed now and sleep the whole night and can eat fruit without hurting me."—Wm. M. Pletz, 813 South 13th St., Springfield, Ill.

When Mr. Pletz wrote this letter he was eighty-eight years old, and ill as he was to relieve at that age. Don't suffer for 50 years as he did! Don't suffer another week! Milks Emulsion costs nothing to try.

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**GREEN FANCY**  
By GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEON

Author of "GRAUSTARK," "THE HOLLOW OF HER HAND," "THE PRINCE OF GRAUSTARK," ETC.

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### CHAPTER VIII.

#### A Note, Some Fancies and an Expedition in Quest of Facts.

He started upstairs, his mind full of the events and conjectures of the day. As he entered the room his eyes fell upon a white envelope at his feet. It had been slipped under the door since he left the room an hour before.

"Terse reminder from the prudent Mr. Jones! His bill for the day! He picked it up, glanced at the inscription, and at once altered his opinion. His full name was there in the handwriting of a woman. For a moment he was puzzled; then he thought of Miss Thackeray. A note of thanks, no doubt, unpleasantly fulsome! Vaguely annoyed, he ripped open the envelope and read:

"In case I do not have the opportunity to speak with you tonight, this is to let you know that the little man who says he is a book agent was in your room for three-quarters of an hour while you were away this afternoon. You'd better see if anything is missing."

He made a hasty but careful examination of his effects. There was not the slightest evidence that his pack had been opened or even disturbed. If the little book agent spent three-quarters of an hour in the room he managed most effectively to cover up all traces of his visit.

Barnes did not go to sleep until long after midnight. He now regarded himself as definitely committed to a combination of sinister and piquant enterprises, not the least of which was to know about the mysterious young woman at Green Fancy.

The next day he, with other lodgers in the Tavern, was put through an examination by the police and county officials from St. Elizabeth, and notified that, while he was not under suspicion or surveillance, it would be necessary for him to remain in the "ball-wick" until detectives, already on the way, were satisfied that he possessed no knowledge that would be useful to them in clearing up what had now assumed the dignity of a "national problem."

O'Dowd rode down from Green Fancy and created quite a sensation among the officials by announcing that they had a perfect right to extend their search for clues to all parts of his estate, and that he was deeply interested in the outcome of their investigations.

The sheriff said he would like to "run over the ground a bit" that very afternoon if it was agreeable to Mr. O'Dowd.

O'Dowd stayed to dinner. (Dinner was served in the middle of the day at Hart's Tavern.) He made a great impression upon Lyndon Rushcroft, who, with his daughter, joined the two men. Indeed, the palavering Irishman extended himself in the effort to make himself agreeable. He was vastly interested in the stage, he declared. As a matter of fact he had been told a thousand times that he ought to go on the stage.

The little book agent came in while they were at table. He sat down in a corner of the dining room and busied himself with his subscription lists while waiting for the meal to be served. He was still poring over them, frowning intently, when Barnes and the others left the room.

Barnes walked out beside Miss Thackeray.

"The tailor-made gown is an improvement," he said to her. He was thinking that she was a very pretty girl, after all.

"The frock usually makes the woman," she said slowly, "but not always the lady."

He thought of that remark more than once during the course of an afternoon spent in the woods about Green Fancy.

O'Dowd virtually commanded the expedition. First of all, he led the party to the corner of the estate nearest the point where Paul was shot from his horse. Sitting in his saddle he called the attention of the other riders to what appeared to be a most significant fact in connection with the killing of this man.

"From what I hear the man Paul was shot through the lungs, directly from in front. The bullet went straight through his body. He was riding very rapidly down the road. When he came to a point not far above the crossroads he was fired upon. It is safe to assume that he was looking intently ahead, trying to make out the crossing. He was not shot from the side of the road, gentlemen, but from the middle of it. The

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bullet came from a point almost directly in front of him, and not from Mr. Curtis' property here to the left or Mr. Conley's on the right. The chances are that Paul did not accompany Roon to the meeting place up



O'Dowd Virtually Commanded the Expedition.

the road. He remained near the horses. That's how he managed to get away so quickly. It remained for the man at the crossroads to settle with him. But we're wasting time with all this twaddle of mine. Let us be moving. There is one point on which we must all agree. The deadliest marksman in the world fired those shots. No bungling on that score, bedad."

In the course of time the party, traversing the ground contiguous to the public road, came within sight of the green dwelling among the trees. Barnes' interest revived. His second view of the house increased his wonder and admiration. If O'Dowd had not actually located it among the trees for him he would have been at a loss to discover it, although it was immediately in front of him and in direct line of vision.

De Soto was seen approaching through the green sea, his head appearing and disappearing intermittently in the billows formed by the undulating underbrush. He shook hands with Barnes a moment later.

"I'm glad you had the sense to bring Mr. Barnes with you, O'Dowd," said he. "You didn't mention him when you telephoned that you were personally conducting a sightseeing party. I tried to catch you afterward on the telephone, but you had left the Tavern. Mrs. Collier wanted me to ask you to capture Mr. Barnes for dinner tonight."

"Mrs. Collier is the sister of Mr. Curtis," explained O'Dowd. Then he turned upon De Soto incredulously. "For the love of Pat," he cried, "what's come over them? Why, I made so bold as to suggest last night that you were a chap worth cultivating. Barnes—and that you wouldn't be long in the neighborhood—but to save your feelings I'll not repeat what they said, the two of them. What changed them over, De Soto?"

"A chance remark of Miss Cameron's at lunch today. She wondered if Barnes could be the chap who wrote the articles about Peru and the Incas, or something of the sort, and that set them to looking up the back numbers of the Geographic Magazine in Mr. Curtis' library. Not only did they find the articles but they found your picture. I had no difficulty in deciding that you were one and the same. The atmosphere cleared in a jiffy. It became even clearer when it was discovered that you have had a few ancestors and are received in good society—both here and abroad, as the late Frederick Townsend Martin would have said. I hereby officially present the result of subsequent deliberation. Mr. Barnes is invited to dine with us tonight."

Barnes' heart was still pounding rapidly as he made the rueful admission that he "didn't have a thing to wear." He couldn't think of accepting the gracious invitation—

"If they'll take me as I am," began Barnes, doubtfully.

"I say," called out O'Dowd to the sheriff, who was gazing longingly at the horses tethered at the bottom of the slope, "would ye mind leading Mr. Barnes' nag back to the Tavern? He is stopping to dinner. And, while I think of it, are you satisfied, Mr. Sheriff, with the day's work? If not you will be welcome again at any time if ye'll only telephone a half minute in advance." To Barnes he said: "We'll send you down in the automobile tonight, provided it has survived the day. We're expecting the poor thing to die in its tracks at almost any instant."

Ten minutes later Barnes passed through the portals of Green Fancy.

### CHAPTER IX.

The First Wayfarer, the Second Wayfarer and the Spirit of Chivalry Ascendant.

The wide green door, set far back in a recess not unlike a kloek, was opened by a man servant who might easily have been mistaken for a waiter from Delmonico's or Sherry's.

"Say to Mrs. Collier, Nicholas, that Mr. Barnes is here for dinner," said De Soto. "I will make the cocktails this evening."

Much to Barnes' surprise—and disappointment—the interior of the house failed to sustain the bewildering effect produced by the exterior. The entrance hall and the living room into which he was conducted by the two men were singularly like others that he had seen. The latter, for example, was of ordinary dimensions, furnished with a thought for comfort rather than elegance or even good taste. The couches and chairs were low and deep and comfortable, as if intended for men only, and they were covered with rich, gay materials; the hangings at the windows were of deep blue and gold; the walls an unobtrusive cream color, almost literally thatched with etchings.

The stairs were thickly carpeted. At the top his guide turned to the left and led the way down a long corridor. They passed at least four doors before O'Dowd stopped and threw open the fifth on that side of the hall. There were still two more doors beyond.

"Suggests a hotel, doesn't it?" said the Irishman, standing aside for Barnes to enter. "All of the sleeping apartments are on this floor, and the baths and boudoirs and what not. The garret is above, and that's where we deposit our family skeletons, intern our grievances, store our stock of spitefulness, and hide all the little devils that must come sneaking up from the city with us whether we will or no. Dabson," addressing the man who had quietly entered the room through the door behind them, "do Mr. Barnes, will ye, and fetch me from Mr. De Soto's room when you've finished. I leave you to Dabson's tender mercies. The saints preserve us! Look at the man's boots! Dabson, get out your brush and duster first of all. He's been floundering in a bog." The jovial Irishman retired, leaving Barnes to be "done" by the silent, swift-moving valet. Dabson was young and vigorous and exceedingly well trained. He made short work of "doing" the visitor; barely fifteen minutes elapsed before O'Dowd's return.

Presently they went downstairs together. Lamps had been lighted, many of them, throughout the house. A fire crackled in the cavernous fireplace at the end of the living room and grouped about its cheerful, grateful blaze were the ladies of Green Fancy.

The girl of his thoughts was there, standing slightly aloof from the others, but evidently amused by the tale



She Was There.

with which De Soto was regaling them. She was smiling; Barnes saw the sapphire lights sparkling in her eyes and experienced a sensation that was woefully akin to confusion.

But everything went off quite naturally. He favored Miss Cameron with an uncommonly self-possessed smile as she gave her hand to him, and she in turn responded with one faintly suggestive of tolerance, although it certainly would have been recorded by a less sensitive person than Barnes as "ripping."

In reply to his perfunctory "delighted, I'm sure, etc.," she said quite clearly: "Oh, now I remember. I was sure I had seen you before, Mr. Barnes. You are the magic gentleman who sprang like a mushroom out of the earth early yesterday afternoon."

"And frightened you," he said; "whereupon you vanished like the mushroom that is gobbled up by the predatory gnat."

He had thrilled at the sound of her voice. It was the low, deliberate voice of the woman of the crossroads, and, as before, he caught the almost imperceptible accent. The red gleam from the blazing logs fell upon her shining hair; it glistened like gold. She wore a simple evening gown of white, softened over the shoulders and neck with a fall of rare valenciennes lace. There was no jewelry—not even a ring on her slender, tapering fingers.

Mrs. Collier, the hostess, was an elderly, heavy-featured woman, decidedly overdressed. Mrs. Van Dyke, her daughter, was a woman of thirty, tall, dark and handsome in a bold, dashing sort of way. The lackadaisical gentleman with the mustache turned out to be her husband.

"My brother is unable to be with us tonight, Mr. Barnes," explained Mrs. Collier. "Mr. O'Dowd may have told you that he is an invalid. Quite rarely is he well enough to leave his room. He has begged me to present his apologies and regrets to you. Another time, perhaps, you will give him

the pleasure he is missing tonight."

De Soto's cocktails came in. Miss Cameron did not take one. O'Dowd proposed a toast.

"To the rascals who went gunning for the other rascals. But for them we should be short at least one member of this agreeable company."

It was rather startling. Barnes' glass stopped half way to his lips. An instant later he drained it. He accepted the toast as a compliment from the whimsical Irishman, and not as a tribute to the prowess of those mysterious marksmen.

The table in the spacious dining room was one of those long, narrow Italian boards, unmistakably antique and equally rare. Sixteen or eighteen people could have been seated without crowding, and when the seven took their places wide intervals separated them. No effort had been made by the hostess to bring her guests close together, as might have been done by using one end or the center of the table. The serving plates were of silver. Especially beautiful were the long-stemmed water goblets and the graceful champagne glasses. They were blue and white and of a design and quality no longer obtainable except at great cost. The esthetic Barnes was not slow to appreciate the rarity of the glassware and the chaste beauty of the serving plates.

The man Nicholas was evidently the butler, despite his Seventh avenue manner. He was assisted in serving by two stalwart and amazingly clumsy footmen, of similar ilk and nationality. On seeing these additional men servants Barnes began figuratively to count on his fingers the retainers he had so far encountered on the place. Already he had seen six, all of them powerful, rugged fellows. It struck him as extraordinary, and in a way significant, that there should be so many men at Green Fancy.

Much to his disappointment he was not placed near Miss Cameron at table. Indeed she was seated as far away from him as possible. There was a place set between him and De Soto, for symmetry's sake. Barnes concluded. In this, he was mistaken; they had barely seated themselves when Mrs. Collier remarked:

"Mr. Curtis' secretary usually joins us here for coffee. He has his dinner with my brother, and then, poor man, comes in for a brief period of relaxation. When my brother is in one of his bad spells poor Mr. Loeb doesn't have much time to himself."

Loeb, the private secretary, came in for coffee. He was a tall, spare man of thirty, pallidly handsome, with dark, studious eyes and features of an unmistakably Hebraic cast, as his name might have foretold. His teeth were marvelously white and his slow smile attractive. More than once during the hour that Loeb spent with them Barnes formed and dismissed a stubborn ever-recurring opinion that the man was not a Jew. Certainly he was not an American Jew. His voice, his manner of speech, his every action stamped him as one born and bred in a land far from Broadway and its counterparts. If a Jew he was of the east as it is measured from Rome—the Jew of the carnal Orient.

And as the evening wore on there came to Barnes the singular fancy that this man was the master and not the servant of the house! He could not put the ridiculous idea out of his mind.

He was to depart at ten. The hour drew near and he had had no opportunity for detached conversation with Miss Cameron. He had listened to her bright retorts to O'Dowd's sallies, and marveled at the ease and composure with which she met the witty Irishman on even terms.

Not until the very close of the evening, and when he had resigned himself to hopelessness, did the opportunity come for him to speak with her alone. She caught his eye, and, to his amazement, made a slight movement of her head, unobserved by the others but curiously imperative to him. There was no mistaking the meaning of the direct, intense look that she gave him.

She was appealing to him as a friend—as one on whom she could depend!

The spirit of chivalry took possession of him. His blood leaped to the



"Come and Sit Beside Me, Mr. Barnes," She Called Out Gayly.

call. She needed him and he would not fail her. And it was with difficulty that he contrived to hide the

exaltation that might have ruined everything!

While he was trying to invent a pretext for drawing her apart from the others she calmly ordered Van Dyke to relinquish his place on the couch beside her to Barnes.

"Come and sit beside me, Mr. Barnes," she called out gayly. "I will not bite you or scratch you or harm you in any way. Ask Mr. O'Dowd, and he will tell you that I am quite docile. I don't bite, do I, Mr. O'Dowd?" "You do," said O'Dowd promptly. "You do more than that. You devour. Bedad I have to look in a mirror to convince myself that you haven't swallowed me whole. That's another way of telling you, Barnes, that she'll absorb you entirely."

For a few minutes she chided him for his unseemly aversion. He was beginning to think that he had been mistaken in her motive, and that after all she was merely satisfying her vanity. Suddenly, and as she smiled into his eyes, she said, lowering her voice slightly:

"Do not appear surprised at anything I may say to you. Smile as we were uttering the silliest nonsense. So much depends upon it, Mr. Barnes."

### CHAPTER X.

#### The Prisoner of Green Fancy, and the Lament of Peter the Chauffeur.

He envied Mr. Rushcroft. The barnstormer would have risen to the occasion without so much as the blinking of an eye. He did his best, however, and, despite his eagerness, managed to come off fairly well. Anyone out of earshot would have thought that he was uttering some trifling inanity instead of these words:

"You may trust me. I have suspected that something was wrong here."

"It is impossible to explain now," she said. "These people are not my friends. I have no one to turn to in my predicament."

"Yes, you have," he broke in, and laughed rather boisterously for him. He felt that they were being watched in turn by every person in the room.

"Tonight—not an hour ago—I began to feel that I could call upon you for help. I began to relax. Something whispered to me that I was no longer utterly alone. Oh, you will never know what it is to have your heart lighten as mine—but I must control myself. We are not to waste words."

"You have only to command me, Miss Cameron. No more than a dozen words are necessary. Tell me how I can be of service to you."

"I shall try to communicate with you in some way—tomorrow. I beg of you, I implore you, do not desert me. If I can only be sure that you will—"

"You may depend on me, no matter what happens," said he, and, looking into her eyes, was bound forever.

"I have been thinking," she said. "Yesterday I made the discovery that I—that I am actually a prisoner here, Mr. Barnes, I—Smile! Say something silly!"

Together they laughed over the meaningless remark he made in response to her command.

"I am constantly watched. If I venture outside the house I am almost immediately joined by one of these men. You saw what happened yesterday. I am distracted."

"I will ask the authorities to step in and—"

"No! You are to do nothing of the kind. The authorities would never find me if they came here to search." (It was hard for him to smile at that!) "It must be some other way. If I could steal out of the house—but that is impossible," she broke off with a catch in her voice.

"Suppose that I were to steal into the house," he said, a reckless light in his eyes.

"Oh, you could never succeed!" "Well, I could try, couldn't I?"

There was nothing funny in the remark, but they both tanned back and laughed heartily. "Leave it to me. Tell me where—"

"The place is guarded day and night. The stealthiest burglar in the world could not come within a stone's throw of the house."

"If it's as bad as all that, we cannot afford to make any slips. You think you are in no immediate peril?"

"I am in no peril at all unless I bring it upon myself," she said significantly.

"Then a delay of a day or so will not matter," he said, frowning. "Leave it to me. I will find a way."

"Be careful!" De Soto came lounging up behind them.

"Forgive me for interrupting, but I am under command from royal headquarters. Peter, the king of chauffeurs, sends in word that the car is in an amiable mood and champing to be off. So seldom is it in good humor that he—"

"I'll be off at once," exclaimed Barnes, arising. "By Jove, it is half-past ten. I had no idea—good night, Miss Cameron."

He pressed her hand reassuringly and left her.

She had arisen and was standing, straight and slim by the corner of the fireplace, a confident smile on her lips.

"If you are to be long in the neighborhood, Mr. Barnes," said his hostess, "you must let us have you again."

"My stay is short, I fear. You have only to reveal the faintest sign that I may come, however, and I'll hop into my seven-league boots before you can utter Jack Robinson's Christian name. Good night, Mrs. Van Dyke. I have you all to thank for a most delightful evening."

The car was waiting at the back of the house. O'Dowd walked out with



Barnes, their arms linked—as on a former occasion, Barnes recalled.

"I'll ride out to the gate with you," said the Irishman. "It's a winding, devious route the road takes through the trees."

"They came in time, after many 'hair pins' and right angles, to the gate opening upon the highway. Peter got down from the seat to release the padlocked chain and throw open the gate."

O'Dowd leaned closer to Barnes and lowered his voice.

"See here, Barnes, I'm no fool, and for that reason I've got sense enough to know that you're not either. I don't know what's in your mind, nor what you're trying to get into if it isn't already there. But I'll say this to you, man to man: Don't let your imagination get the better of your common sense. That's all. Take the tip from me."

"I am not 'imagining' anything," O'Dowd said Barnes quietly. "What do you mean?"

"I mean just what I say. I'm giving you the tip for selfish reasons. If you make a bally fool of yourself, I'll have to see you through the worst of it—and it's a job I don't relish. Ponder that, will ye, on the way home?"

Barnes did ponder it on the way home. There was but one construction to put upon the remark: it was O'Dowd's way of letting him know that he could be depended upon for support if the worst came to pass.

O'Dowd evidently had not been deceived by the acting that masked the conversation on the couch. He knew that Miss Cameron had appealed to Barnes, and that the latter had promised to do everything in his power to help her.

Suspecting that this was the situation, and doubtless sacrificing his own private interests, he had uttered the vague but timely warning to Barnes. The significance of this warning grew under reflection. Barnes was not slow to appreciate the position in which O'Dowd voluntarily placed himself. A word or a sign from him would be sufficient to bring disaster upon the Irishman who had risked his own safety in a few irretrievable words. The more he thought of it, the more fully convinced was he that there was nothing to fear from O'Dowd.

Peter drove slowly, carefully over the road down the mountain. Responding to a sudden impulse, Barnes lowered one of the side seats in the tonneau and moved closer to the driver.

"How long have you been driving for Mr. Curtis?"

"Ever since he came up here, more'n two years ago. Guess I'm going to get the G. B. 'fore long, though. Seems that he's gettin' a new car an' wants an expert machinist to take hold of it from the start. I was good enough to fiddle around with this second-hand pile o' junk an' the one he had last year, but I ain't qualified to handle this here machine he's expectin', so he says. I guess they've been some influence used against me, if the truth was known. This new secretary he's got can't stummick me."

"Why don't you see Mr. Curtis and demand—"

"See him?" snorted Peter. "Might as well try to see Napoleon Bonaparte. Didn't you know he was a sick man?"

"Certainly. But he isn't so ill that he can't attend to business, is he?"

"He sure is. Paralyzed, they say."

"What has Mr. Loeb against you, if I may ask?"

"Well, it's like this. I ain't in the habit o' bein' ordered aroun' as if I was jest nobody at all, so when he starts in to cuss me about somethin' a week or so ago, I ups and tells him I'll smash his head if he don't take it back. He takes it back all right, but the first thing I know I get a call-down from Mrs. Collier. Course I couldn't tell her what I told the sheeny, seein' as she's a female, so I took it like a lamb. Then they gits a feller up here to wash the car. My gosh, mister, the durned ole rattle-trap ain't with a bucket o' water all told. So I sends word in to Mr. Curtis that if she has to be washed, I'll wash her. Then's when I hears about the new car. Next day Mrs. Collier sends for me an' I go in. She says she guesses she'll try the new washer on the new machine when it comes, an' if I keer to stay on as washer in his place she'll be glad to have me. I says I'd like to have a word with Mr. Curtis, if she don't mind, an' she says Mr. Curtis ain't able to see no one. So I guess I'm goin' to be let out."

An idea was taking root in Barnes' brain, but it was too soon to consider it fixed.

"You say Mr. Loeb is new at his job?"

"Well, he's new up here. Mr. Curtis was down to New York all last winter bein' treated, you see. He didn't come up here till about five weeks ago. Loeb was workin' fer him most of the winter, gittin' up a book or somethin', I hear. Mr. Curtis' mind is all right, I guess, even if his body ain't."

"I see. Mr. Loeb came up with him from New York."

"Kerect. Him and Mr. O'Dowd and Mr. De Soto brought him up 'bout the last o' March. They was up here visitin' last spring an' the fall before. Mr. Curtis is very fond of both of 'em."

"It seems to me that I have heard that his son married O'Dowd's sister."

"That's right. She's a widder now. Her husband was killed in the war between Turkey an' them other countries four or five years ago."

"Really?"

"Yep. Him and Mr. O'Dowd—his own brother-in-law, y' know—was fightin' on the side of the Boogarians and young Ashley Curtis was killed."

"Was this son Mr. Curtis' only child?"

"So far as I know. He left three little kids. They was all here with their mother jest after the house was finished."

"They will probably come into this property when Mr. Curtis dies," said

properly when Mr. Curtis dies," said



"She's a Widder Now. Her Husband Was Killed in the War."

Barnes, keeping the excitement out of his voice.

"More'n likely."

"Was he very feeble when you saw him last?"

"I ain't seen him in more'n six months. He was fallin' then. That's why he went to the city."

"Oh, I see. You did not see him when he arrived the last of March?"

"I was visitin' my sister up in Hornville when he come back unexpected-like. This idiot Loeb says he wrote me to meet 'em at Spanish Falls but I never got the letter. Like as not the durn fool got the address wrong. I didn't know Mr. Curtis was home till I come back from my sister's three days later. I wouldn't 'a' had it happen for fifty dollars." Peter's tone was convincingly doleful.

"And he has been confined to his room ever since? Poor old fellow! It's hard, isn't it?"

"It sure is. Seems like he'll never be able to walk ag'in. I was talkin' to his nurse only the other day. He says it's a hopeless case."

"Fortunately his sister can be here with him."

"By gosh, she ain't nothin' like him," confided Peter. "She's all fuss an' feathers an' he's jest as simple as you or me. Nothin' fluffy about him. I can tell ye." He sighed deeply. "I'm jest as well pleased to go as not," he went on. "Mrs. Collier's got a lot o' money of her own, an' she's got high-falutin' New York ideas that don't seem to jibe with mine."

Long before they came to the turnpike, Barnes had reduced his hundred and one suppositions to the following concrete conclusion: Green Fancy was no longer in the hands of its original owner for the good and sufficient reason that Mr. Curtis was dead. The real master of the house was the man known as Loeb. Through O'Dowd he had leased the property from the widowed daughter-in-law, and had established himself there, surrounded by trustworthy henchmen, for the purpose of carrying out some dark and sinister project.

"I suppose Mrs. Collier has spent a great deal of time up here with her brother."

"First time she was ever here, so far as I know," said Peter, and Barnes promptly took up his weaving once more.

With one exception, he decided, the entire company at Green Fancy was involved in the conspiracy. The exception was Miss Cameron. It was quite clear to him that she had been misled or betrayed into her present position; that a trap had been set for her and she had walked into it blindly, trustingly. This would seem to establish, beyond question, that her capture and detention was vital to the interests of the plotters; otherwise she would not have been lured to Green Fancy under the impression that she was to find herself among friends and supporters. Supporters! That word started a new train of thought. He could hardly wait for the story that was to fall from her lips.

"By the way, Peter, it has just occurred to me that I may be able to give you a job in case you are let out by Mr. Curtis. I can't say definitely until I have communicated with my sister, who has a summer home in the Berkshires."

"I'll be much obliged, sir. Course I won't say a word. Will I find you at the tavern if I get my walkin' papers soon?"

"Yes. Stop in to see me tomorrow if you happen to be passing."

Barnes said good night to the man and entered the tavern a few minutes later. Putnam Jones was behind the desk and facing him was the little book agent.

"Hello, stranger," greeted the land-lord. "Been sashaying in society, hey? Meet my friend Mr. Sprouse, Mr. Barnes. Sic-em, Sprouse! Give him the Dickens!" Mr. Jones laughed loudly at his own jest.

Sprouse shook hands with his victim.

"I was just saying to our friend Jones here, Mr. Barnes, that you look like a more than ordinarily intelligent

man and that if I had a chance to buzz with you for a quarter of an hour I could present a proposition—"

"Sorry, Mr. Sprouse, but it is half-past eleven o'clock, and I am dog-tired. You will have to excuse me."

"Tomorrow morning will suit me," said Sprouse cheerfully, "if it suits you."

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There can be no doubt that the Memorial Gateway at the Normal will be erected. We should like to see as many people as possible donate, in order that every one may feel a personal interest in the matter and feel that he has done something, little though it may be, to honor the memory of these men.

A subscriber of the Evening News complains that for three years the guy who lives next door was a constant borrower of his paper, said borrower refusing to take the paper because he did not like some of the force. No doubt he is still borrowing and making a nuisance of himself to his neighbors who pay their money for the paper and want to read it themselves.

The Miami News boasts that only the asphalt and cement for the paving in progress there will need to be shipped in, since all other needed materials are there already. Ada goes that one better by having unlimited supplies of these on hand for home use or for sale as the case may be. Pontotoc county is one of old Mother Nature's favorite children, anyway.

A returned aviation officer is trying to get financial backing for a passenger carrying airplane to fly between Oklahoma City and Kansas City. He claims that the trip can be made in three and one-half hours and that he can make money at \$30 per passenger. He has in mind a 12-passenger plane for the service.

More Delivery Service.  
Authority has been granted Postmaster J. W. Westbrook to make delivery of mail once a day in the Dan Hays Addition in the southwestern part of the city. Delivery will also be made on West 9th and West 10th streets as far as Ash avenue. No new carrier has been added, but will probably be added in a short time. The four carriers now at work will take care of the increased territory.

### AS A CHILD INTERPRETED IT

The city's diners out are hearing a new story this season. Rabbi Stephen S. Wise of the Free Synagogue says: "Not long ago a mother of one of my little pupils came to me and said: "Doctor, how could you speak to my little daughter so cruelly? She came home from the synagogue in tears, and never wants to go back." "What did I say to her?" I asked in astonishment. "You told her if she didn't come oftener you would throw her in the furnace," the accusing mother asserted. "I thought it over, much puzzled, and then I recalled that what I really did say was this: "If you are not more regular in attendance I shall have to drop you from the register."—New York Times.

### Mean of Dad.

Father—Myrtle, the bells are chiming midnight. Has that young man gone yet?  
Daughter (trembling)—Sh, father! Don't offend Reginald. Don't you know he is well fixed?  
Father—No; but I do know he will be well fixed if he don't soon leave.

### WELL! WELL!



Henpeck—I'm miserably unhappy with my wife.  
Henderson—Why don't you apply for a divorce?  
Henpeck—She won't let me.

Our Patriotic Forefathers.  
Although their fame is never hid As banners bright are spread, We don't remember what they did Or even what they said.

### Called Away.

"Time was when a handsome young man behind a ribbon counter could attend to his duties in a more or less tranquil frame of mind."

"You mean he was contented with his lot?"

"Yes. But nowadays he can hardly wait on a customer because he thinks the moving pictures are calling him to be an idol of the screen."

### Caught on the Rebound.

"Did the judge show leniency when you appeared in court?"

"Oh, yes."

"You ought to feel grateful for that."

"Not at all. He showed leniency to a fellow whose case was called just before mine and gave me the limit."

### Cart Before the Horse.

She—You never take me to a show any more.

He—You spend so much for theater gowns, there's nothing left to take you here.

### What's in a Name?

Mrs. Gad A. Broad—Duty on these taxes? It's an imposition, sir.  
Revenue Officer—No, ma'am; customary.

### DEAR GIRLS.



"When I offered him a batch of my lolly tarts, he just ate and ate."  
"Poor James will do anything to be lolly."

### As It Should Be.

If things were only equalized,  
Then the skies, I guess,  
Would be a little bluer, and  
The milk a little less.

### Bumped.

Fatleigh—Look out where you're going. Can't you see the length of your nose?  
Neersite—I could if I was cross-eyed like you.

### Natural Deduction.

Gills—I guess Boose must have signed the pledge.  
Dills—Why do you think so?  
Gills—He has quit inviting me to go fishing with him.

### Advice.

Miss Typrite—Mr. Bonds I don't like smoking.  
Stockton Bonds—Then don't smoke.

## GLAD TO TESTIFY

Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly. Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. Then... it would last... two weeks, and was so weakening, and my health was awful.

My mother bought me a bottle of Cardui, and I began to improve after taking the first bottle, so kept it up till I took three... I gained, and was well and strong, and I owe it all to Cardui.

I am married now and have 3 children... Have never had to have a doctor for female trouble, and just resort to Cardui if I need a tonic. I am glad to testify to what it has done for me, so as to help others."

If you are nervous or weak, have headaches, backaches, or any of the other ailments so common to women, why not give Cardui a trial? Recommended by many physicians. In use over 40 years. Begin taking Cardui today. It may be the very medicine you need.

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## HOME AND BUILDING STOCK GOING FAST

The Home Building and Loan Association, which is now being organized in Ada, has a total subscription of \$150,000.00 at 10 o'clock this morning. It is expected that the total amount will be subscribed either this afternoon or early Monday morning.

This organization is made up entirely of local business men, and has a capital stock of \$250,000.00. It will promote building projects and help worthy citizens buy and own their own homes.

### NORMAL NOTES.

Wesley Chaney, who has lately returned from France, was a visitor at the Normal last Wednesday.

John Garrison, who is teaching at Fitchburg, attended the ball game yesterday.

The pupils of the training school played two games of basketball with the pupils of the Homer school yesterday afternoon. The boys' game resulted in a score of 20 to 2 in favor of the training school; the girls' game, 20 to 0, in favor of Homer.

Vera Lane, Pearl Wilmoth and Oma Laird are taking the course in home nursing at the Red Cross rooms each evening.

Sergeant Houchins, who is in Ada in the interests of the Anti-Saloon League, gave an interesting talk in chapel on last Thursday morning.

Mr. E. C. Wilson went to Sulphur and Mr. Newcomb to Roff yesterday to act as judges in the athletic events to be held at those places.

The Home Economics Club held their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, April 2. The meeting was held in the Domestic Science dining room where the serving of a formal luncheon was demonstrated by Gertrude Clinkenbeard, Bernice Rayburn, Sarah Purvine and Oma Laird. After the program, refreshments of cocoa and veroniques were served.

An all-school party will be held in the auditorium on next Monday evening in which each class will put on a "stunt" for the entertainment and amusement of the others. A jolly time is anticipated.

Miss Irma Spriggs returned from Springfield last Monday where she has been under the doctor's care for the past two weeks.

Mr. Verne Robertson arrived in Ada yesterday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. M. L. Perkins.

Gladys Griffith and James Walby, who taught at Colbert the past winter, have entered school.

Miss Emma Keller, who attended the National Music Supervisor's Convention at St. Louis, returned last Tuesday.

### RED CROSS NOTES.

I am sure it will be good news to the ladies of Pontotoc County Chapter to hear that we have been issued our last quota of sewing unless something unforeseen comes up.

An order of refugee garments came in yesterday. We have word that as soon as the sewing is completed orders will be given as to disposition of equipment.

Mrs. Ellison is especially anxious that each captain get a big crowd and finish these garments next week.

Miss Anderson, instructor of home hygiene and care of the sick, is very much pleased with the interest manifested in the classes.

MRS. SNEED, Sec'y.

### BEAUTIFYING PARKINGS

OF EAST 12TH STREET  
Dr. Robert Jones of Bogata, Tex., sent his brother, Commissioner W. B. Jones, some 500 or 600 canna bulbs to be set out in the parkings of East 12th street. The fire boys are putting them out and in a short time these spots which were formerly eyesores will be beauty spots. The fire boys set out a string of shade trees some weeks ago.

### Notice to Public.

I will not be responsible for any debts not made by me personally.

L. F. WILLIS.

New evening dresses—very pretty.  
Burk's.

## LESS THAN TWO MILLION IN ARMY

### DEMOBILIZATION GOING FORWARD RAPIDLY, GEN. MARCH REPORTS.

By the Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, April 12.—Demobilization had reduced the total strength of the American army to below two million General March announced today. Complete reports to April 8 showed the aggregate strength to be 1,980,506. Since November 11, 656,111 men have sailed and 605,772 have been landed. A total of 1,701,469 officers and men have returned to civil life.

## TWO CASES OF SLEEPING SICKNESS IN ADA

Two cases of the mysterious sleeping sickness have appeared in Ada. For the past two weeks Mrs. Erwin, at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Will James and wife, West Tenth street, has slept soundly. Her physician states that she can be aroused, but almost immediately drops off to sleep again. Apparently she is normal in every particular and the case most baffling.

Mr. Clifton, who drives a job wagon, went to sleep about noon Thursday. A physician was sent for the next morning and after a thorough course of medicine was roused to some extent. He is reported improving but still drowsy.

## AT THE PLAY HOUSES

### Liberty.

The program of the evening will include another good entertainment by the Bobby Greer comedians and the following picture program: An installment of "The Lure of the Circus," the Screen Magazine and an L-Ko comedy.

### American.

Margarita Fisher, the prime favorite of the American stage, appears in the comedy-drama, "Molly of the Follies." It is a five-part production and the winsome heroine never appeared to better advantage than in this role.

## FURTHER STEPS TAKEN IN WELFARE WORK

The committee of the National Welfare League met this morning in the City Hall at 10:30 o'clock. C. E. Cunningham was appointed Provisional Welfare Chairman. Luther Harrison, secretary, and W. C. Duncan, sub-chairman of the Ordinance Committee. The next meeting of the committee will be held Monday the 21st, at 8:30 o'clock, in the Presbyterian church where the Ordinance will be submitted to the committee and further measures will be taken to present it to the City Commissioners.

### Now You'll Take Better.

Because flashlight powders are not swift enough for the most rapid photography an electrical device has been invented which lights the powder and then snaps the camera shutter when the burning powder is at its greatest brilliancy.

### Deep Stuff.

London Answers tells the story of a musical student who, one night at Queen's Hall, slithered up to a couple of long-haired professors in the hope of hearing some learned conversation. "Ten cents each," one of the professors was observing, "and not even new-laid!"

### Defined.

One day while we had a neighbor's little boy out for a drive we passed a pasture in which were several cows and calves. I asked him what those little animals were and he spoke up quickly, "It's what after it grows up is a cow."—Exchange.

### Can You Beat It?

To prevent misuse of automobiles a device has been invented that prints within a locked box a record of the time and duration of every stop made by a car to which it is attached and the distance and speed between stops.

### New Word.

One of our exchanges tells about a man who "unthoughtedly" left his pocketbook, containing \$5, on a counter in a railway station. As an addition to the English language we maintain that unthoughtedly is unthinkable.—St. Louis Republic.

### Prospects of Palestine.

Palestine has never had a well-defined boundary except the sea on its west, but it is understood to be about 10,000 miles in extent. Much of this area is too dry and rocky for tillage; large parts are too dry even for cattle or sheep.

# Who Does The Buying For Your Family?

There is someone in your family who has a big responsibility.

Food to buy for the table; clothes for the children and grown-ups; new household utensils, linen, furniture, books and all the hundred and one little things for which the family income is spent.

The success of a family depends on wise buying. And it is that person's job to see that the money is well spent—that you all get full value for every cent that goes out.

The success of a family depends on wise buying just as the success of a business does.

Wise buying means intelligent buying. It is necessary to have knowledge of goods and stores.

The best way to get this knowledge is by reading advertisements. They tell you what is new and good. They tell you where and when to buy to advantage.

Not only the person who does the buying but every member of the family should read advertisements. It is the duty of all the others to help the one who does the buying by pointing out advertisements of new goods and giving all the information possible as to tastes and styles and values.

Advertisements are published for your benefit. Make use of them by reading them.

### What She Was.

Dorothy was boasting to her younger sister about where she had been when she was a year old, Margaret, naturally, anxious to know how this concerned her, inquired: "Where was I then?" Dorothy's reply was crushing. "When I was a year old, you were nothing—you were a piece of sky!"

Said the facetious fellow: "A c is merely a philosophical with, d'm."

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

### "Bully."

The word "bully" as a familiar term of address was employed in the time of Shakespeare and no doubt was old even then. In the sense of praise-worthiness, excellent as, "That was a bully dinner." It is used both by Americans and by British subjects.

### Neighbor Women Note.

Among the senses that of overbearing seems to be the most acute.—Toledo Blade.

A penny a day will pay for a \$2-200.00 Tornado Policy.—Ebey, Sugg & Co. 4-10-11

## YOU HAVE AN ADVERTISING MESSAGE FOR THE PUBLIC

# TELL IT NOW

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Never were the people — the buying public—more ready and able to buy than they are today.

There is no scarcity of money. The purchasing power in America today is greater than in all history. The field for new and greater business development is here.

Advertising is the certain, quick, and economical method of developing your business.

When you put the power of advertising promotion and its great economies back of your own business, you are also spreading the spirit of optimism and good will.

The U. S. Department of Labor urges all progressive merchants and manufacturers—in fact, all who have anything to sell—to advertise now and take advantage of the great market which exists at this time.

## U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

W. B. Wilson, Secretary





## How Would You Like to See This at The Entrance to The Normal Campus?

It would be placed at the end of East Main, facing the paved street to town. In the near future there will be another splendid building on the campus. This gateway would be beautiful, wouldn't it? But think again what it would stand for? Is there not a tendency now to forget the fact that OUR BOYS RISKED ALL IN THE GREAT WORLD WAR? On this splendid gateway will be inscribed the name of Every East Central Man Who Joined the Colors.

**ANOTHER THING:** The entire eleven counties of East Central District will contribute their prorata part of the cost of the gateway, based on the number of students enrolled in the Normal from the various counties for the past two years. Ada and Pontotoc County's part is one-half of the cost, or \$2,250. Committees will begin the canvass Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. This is the committee that will handle the money:

TREASURER: P. A. Norris, First Nat'l Bank. AUDITING COMMITTEE: M. R. Chilcutt, M. & P. Bank; C. C. Randle, Guaranty State Bank; C. H. Rives, Okla. State Bank

A list of the E. C. S. N. men from Ada and Pontotoc County will be published in the NEWS Monday.

This ad contributed by the faculty of East Central Normal.

## Churches

**B. W. M. S. Society.**  
District 2 will meet with Mrs. J. E. Harris.  
District 3 will meet with Mrs. H. A. Fairchild.  
District 4 will meet with Mrs. D. W. Swaffar.  
MRS. H. E. HICKMAN, Pres.  
MRS. R. A. HERNDON, Sec'y.

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
Corner S. Broadway, E. Fourteenth.  
Junior Christian Endeavor at 9:00 a. m. in charge of Misses Alberta Chaffin and Geraldine Hale.  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. with President Gordon, superintendent.  
Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon on "God's Antiseptic."  
Senior Christian Endeavor at 7:45 p. m. led by Miss Thelma Mooney.  
Subject "How to Give God's Day to God-like Deeds." Scripture Reference Exodus 20:8-11. We are looking for you in our meetings. Evening service at 8:30. Subject of sermon "Faith and Testimony."  
Ladies Auxiliary Monday at 3:00

P. M. with the Bible lesson. The meeting will be held at the church.  
There is always a cordial welcome at the services of this church and all are invited to attend.—George Wesley Beck, Minister, Residence 107 E. 14th, Telephone 232.

**Church of Christ.**  
East Main street.  
Bible study 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 11:30 by Bro. W. T. Oliphant of Fitzhugh, the boy preacher. Come and hear him.

**First Baptist Church.**  
We are beginning a very strenuous campaign to enlarge our Sunday school. Our goal has been set for 500 on the final day, May 11th, and by persistent and continuous effort we will succeed. Let quit talking about "influenza" and be sure we do not catch that terrible disease known as "I'm-thro-inza" but get a good case of "influenza." I hope we will get it in its worst stage and that it will reach the incurable stage and become chronic.  
Come to Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:45.  
The pastor will preach Sunday morning on the subject "The Call of

the World," and it is hoped we will have a splendid congregation.

Sunday night the subject will be "The Loom of Life." The message will be primarily to the unsaved but some things of interest to Christians will be said.

The other services include the Sunbeams at 2:30 p. m.  
The Juniors at 2:30 p. m.  
The Seniors at 7:45 p. m.

The morning worship at 11 a. m. and evening worship at 8:30.  
We have a splendid choir under the direction of Mr. Cruz and the singing is very good.

Remember our church is the friendliest place in town. We are happy to greet you always.—Clyde Calhoun Morris, Pastor. 411 South Broadway.

**Y. P. S.**  
Song.—Violet Moore.  
Leader.—The Wesley House one of God's plans for the Conquest.  
Subject.—Devotional Study—The discovery of the plans of God for the world through prayer. (Acts. 10:9-23.)  
Prayer.  
First days at the Wesley House—Sarah Tunnel.  
Talk.—Wesley House—Mrs. Crutchfield.  
The most granddaughter.—Lottie Faust.

**B. Y. P. U. Program.**  
Second Baptist Church 6:30 p. m. April 13.  
Subject.—Bible Study Meeting—Eve, the First Woman.  
Leader.—Mabel Clark.  
Scripture Reading—Gen. 1:26-31; 2:18-24—Mamie Hardee.  
Introduction.—By Leader.  
The First Woman—Mrs. Peay.  
The First Bride—Mrs. Houston.  
The First Human Sinner—Mr. Harrison.  
The First Exile—Connie Clark.  
The First Mother—Mrs. Hynds.  
The First Mourner—Mr. Warr.  
Conclusion—Mrs. Evans.  
Visitors are welcome.  
Captain for Group No. 1.

**Ada Gets Methodist Conference.**  
The pastor of the First Methodist church in this city along with delegation from the local church secured the meeting of the Durant District Conference for Ada next year. They also started a movement looking to the purchase of a parsonage for the presiding elder here or at some other point in this district. If the home of the presiding elder should be located here, it would mean the change of the name of the district from the Durant to the Ada district. Durant, Madill and Ada are all in the race, and it is worth while for Ada to make a pull to get it.

**Methodist Notices.**  
Wallace M. Crutchfield, Pastor.  
Sunday is Decision Day at Sunday school, and there will be a special Decision Day message at the close of the lesson period. The teachers will

advise with their pupils with reference to making decision for Christ, and the pastor will give them the invitation.

At the hour of morning worship there will be a twenty minute period designated "Ask the Pastor." During this period the pastor will undertake to answer all questions his people may ask concerning the Centenary of American Missions.

In the afternoon the pastor will be assisted in a rally service at the Horseshoe Ranch by the members of the Epworth League and the Young People's Society.

The regular meetings of the young people will both be held at 7:30 and evening gospel meeting at 8:30.

Let the Juniors remember their meeting at 2:30 instead of nine.  
Special music, a cordial welcome, a spiritual opportunity—all these await you at "The Home-Like Church."

**B. Y. P. U. Program First Baptist Church.**

Bible Study Meeting—Eve, the First Woman.  
Scripture Lesson—Gen. 1:26-31; 2:18-24—Mary Cowart.

Prayer.  
Leader.—Pearl Wilmoth.  
Introduction.—By Leader.  
The First Woman—Fannie McKinney.

The First Bride—Oma Laird.  
The First Human Sinner—Russell Bowd.

The First Exile—Armelia Gray.  
The First Mother—Mr. Bell.  
The First Mourner—Mr. Vernon.

Conclusion.—By Leader.  
Y. W. C. A. meets at 2 p. m. on the normal steps Sunday, then will go to the woods for the program. Plans will be discussed as to Miss Grace Louck's coming.

**Y. P. S. C. E. First Christian Church.**  
Subject.—How to Give God's Day to God-like Deeds.  
Leader.—Miss Mary Wagoner.  
Hymn.—What a Friend We Have in Jesus.

Prayer.—By Leader.  
Scripture, Epod. 20:8-11.  
Leader's talk.  
Business.

**Special features.**  
Why do we keep Sunday?—Verne Walters.  
How Can We Prepare for the Best Use of Sunday?—Lawrence Mooney.

What Form of Christian Activity Has Made God's Day Seem More Blessed?—Clarine Roach.  
How Can C. E. Help in Sunday School Observance?—Maude Steward.

Need of Business for a True Sunday—L. T. Walters.  
Song, I Need Thee Every Hour.

**Epworth League.**  
You are given a special invitation to attend the Epworth League at the First Methodist church Sunday. The new officers have taken charge and it is planned to make this League the best in the East Oklahoma Confer-

ence. The League meets upstairs at 7:30 prompt. Mrs. Wilbur Lee is the leader for Sunday and she has a program that will interest both young and old. Come to this meeting.

The new officers of the League are as follows:

Oather Van Meter, president; Miss Neva Kennon, vice president; Miss Bessie Neely, secretary; Harvey Millie Jennings, treasurer; Miss Vera Dagg, pianist; Miss Fannie Mae McCain, assistant pianist; Miss Pearl Peay, agent Epworth Era. The department superintendents are M. L. Chambers, Miss Pearl Hinchey, Miss Nell Bob Kennon, and Miss Leone Steed.—Reporter.

**NOTICE.**

Again the News must urge that all church notices be brought to the office Friday afternoon. Lately quite a number have fallen into the habit of waiting until Saturday morning and occasionally Saturday afternoon, thereby working quite a little inconvenience on the paper.

**First Christian Church.**

A live Bible School meets at 9:45. The superintendent is C. E. Cunningham. The school is preparing a fine program for Easter Sunday. The Christian Endeavor society is planning to decorate the church and that is sufficient assurance that it will be well done. The minister will preach a special message that day.

A fine banner is to be presented on Easter Sunday to the class that makes the greatest gain in percent over the average attendance for March, and a nice Bible is to be given to the teacher of that class which has the largest attendance on Easter Sunday.

Morning worship 11-12. Theme of sermon, "The Church, a Candlestick" Meeting of personal workers at 4 o'clock.

The Christian Endeavor Society will meet at 7:30. A new contest will begin Sunday evening. A number of new members were received last Sunday evening and the new officers were installed.

Evening church worship will begin at 8:30. The ministers theme will be "On the Border Land."

Two more boys were baptized last Sunday evening following the church service. Calvin Dooley and George Cloer. This makes seven boys who have become Christians in the last two weeks.

The "L. of J." meets every Monday evening at 5 o'clock. A fine bunch of boys compose this organization. They are soon to have a song and a banner.

Everyone is welcome at the Broadway church.—C. V. Dunn, Minister.

**Christian Science.**  
Christian Science services at 111 North Broadway, 11 a. m. Subject, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?"

**Epworth League Program.**

April 13, 1919.

Leader.—Mrs. Wilbur P. Lee.

Subject: "The Confession of Christ and the Denial of Him."

Song.

Responsive reading, Psalm XXXII.

Song.

Prayer.

Scripture lesson Romans X. 9;

Luke XXII, 55-61.

Reading—Dollie Gay.

Leader's talk.

Song—Male quartet.

Talk—The confession of Christ—Mrs. Crutchfield.

Talk—The denial of Christ—Miss Neva Kennon.

Announcements.

League benediction.

If your appetite is out of line, don't go to Mrs. Land's Sunday. Only those who can stand temptation or have keen appetites should go. A dinner de luxe. 4-11-2t

Burk's are giving a nice reduction on Spring Suits, Capes and Coats. 4-11-2t

## It Doesn't Cost Much to Wire Your Home!

For years you have probably longed to have electricity in your home and denied yourself and family the comforts and pleasures of its use because you thought it a luxury—an expensive household convenience which you could do without.

But electricity is no longer a luxury. It is a necessity, proved by the convenience of such household comforts as the electric toaster, flatiron, coffee percolator, table grill, electric cleaner and other appliances which make easier the many duties of the busy housewife.

The cost of installing electricity is soon repaid in the economy that is yours in the use of the many convenient electrical appliances.

So don't wish any longer for electricity in your home—HAVE IT. The time to act in the matter is RIGHT NOW.

**Ada Electric & Gas Co.**  
119 South Broadway  
Phone 70

## THOS. A. EDISON, Inc.

FURNISHED MUSIC FOR THE BOYS

"OVER HERE"  
in the training camps, on the transports  
"GOING OVER"  
and everywhere  
"OVER THERE"

The Army and Navy Model Phonograph was "Everywhere" with the boys.

Now That the Boys Are Coming Home

WE SHOULD REMEMBER THEM with good jobs and these, as well as the BOYS WHO WILL NEVER COME HOME, should be

remembered with a

GREAT MEMORIAL ARCH AT THE NORMAL

THE CITY'S MUSIC CENTER

Phonograph Shop  
7 EXCLUSIVE EDISON STORES

127 EAST MAIN STREET



## Where Quality Is King

In this period of high prices you owe it to yourself to get the best for the money you spend. Whether it be a pocket knife or a heating outfit, you want to get all that you can for a dollar. That is our aim here—to give the most for the dollar and to sell only the best lines.

### The Celebrated Caldwell Lawn Mowers

You probably neglected your lawn last year, by working in the garden in preference to the yard. This year you will want your yard kept up. We have the mowers. There are none better.

### Direct Action Gas Ranges

If wife has been cooking on a small gas stove or has been using an old-fashioned gas range, you owe it to her to get her a genuine DIRECT ACTION RANGE. It is easy to regulate, does not heat the kitchen, does not require stooping and will preserve the health, good looks, and extend the life of your better half.

### Garden Tools

To make a successful garden, you must have good tools. We have a variety that will please you. They are not expensive either.

REFRIGERATORS AND ICE CREAM FREEZERS—You should see our line.

### Building Material

Now that you are adding an additional room, that you are building another house, you will want nails, roofing, and other material. Let us figure your bill.

**Haynes Hardware Company**  
ADA, OKLAHOMA

## SINN FEINERS WILL SEEK FIRMER GRIP

By the Associated Press  
DUBLIN, March 20. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—The Sinn Feiners are preparing very thoroughly for the capture at the next election, of complete control of the Irish local bodies. The work of canvass and propaganda already had begun. As no other organization is similarly prepared, it is considered likely that the Sinn Fein hands.

At least four thousand Guardians and a similar number of District Councillors and many hundreds of County and Urban Councillors will be chosen as candidates.

Nationality, the principal organ of Sinn Fein says concerning the election: "It will give us an opportunity of proving the world what Ireland can do in the domain of self-government and will prepare the country for the greater task of national government later on."

The Sinn Fein leaders have not explained how they propose to operate local government bodies apart from the control of the British government. The local bodies have the power to levy and spend very large sums in local matters. But the whole system is subject to the code of British law, and every local body is under the jurisdiction of the Irish Local Government Board which is a body appointed by Dublin Castle, whose assent and authority is required to everything.

Their opponents say that if the Sinn Feiners work under the Local Government Board, as is unlikely, they will be making themselves a branch of the existing Irish administration. If they do not, it is claimed they cannot legally work at all.

The Sinn Feiners have decided to use the local bodies in which they obtain control as a means for the spread of the Irish language. In the recent Parliamentary election an attempt was made to select as candidates only men capable of conducting public business in the Irish language. So far as possible the principle will be applied to the coming local elections although there will be several thousands of nominees.

### A FOOL AT 40

It is an old proverb that every man is either a fool or a physician at 40. Well I fooled along for 40 years in the drug business and practice of medicine before I perfected a blood medicine that I thought and knew I could offer the public with impunity.

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### The Profitable Nickel.

Like the humble cent, the increased coinage of which was recently mentioned in this column, the nickel is in greater demand than ever. That is fortunate, for the face value of those "token coins" is so much greater than the value of the metal they contain that the profit in manufacturing them, together with a slight profit in manufacturing the minor silver coins, more than meets the entire running expenses of the mint.—Youth's Companion.



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Some people have luck—others have Kelly-Springfield Tires. The trouble with luck—you can't depend on it. Fleet Cooper, Service First. 4-10-9t.

We have just received our last shipment of ladies spring suits—a few beauties.—Burk's. 4-11-2t

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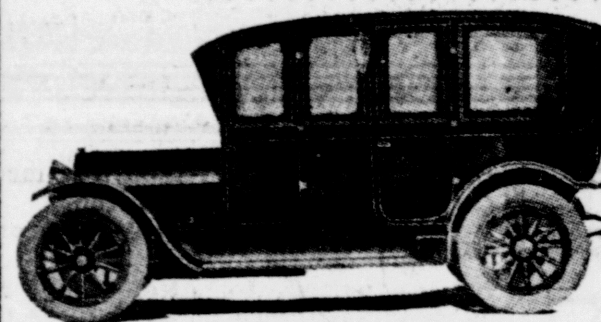
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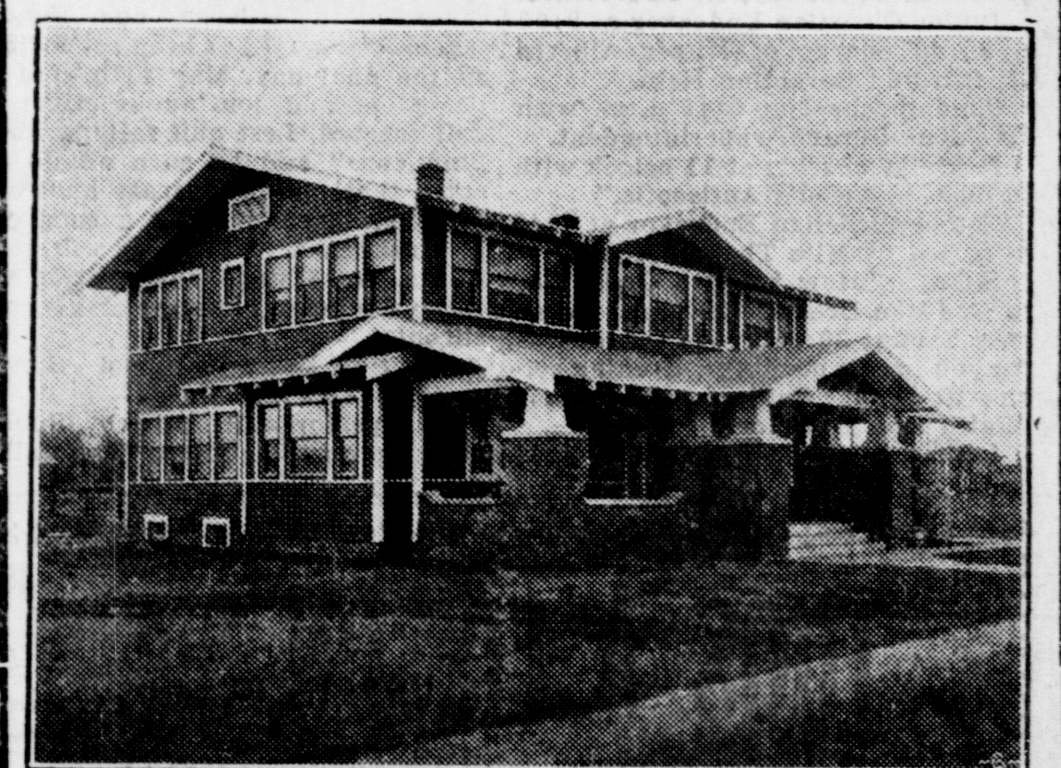
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Let a Want Ad get it for you.

### Notice of Sale of Oil and Gas Lease, State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County—ss.

In the County Court  
Probate—

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of an order of the County Court of Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, made and entered on the 10th day of April, 1919, the undersigned guardian will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder an oil and gas mining lease on the 17th day of April, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described lands situated in Hughes County, State of Oklahoma, to-wit:

East half of Southeast quarter of Southeast quarter of Section 12, and East half of Northeast quarter of Northeast quarter of Section 13, all in Township 5 North, Range 9 East, containing 40 acres.

Said oil and gas lease will be sold on the following terms and conditions, to-wit:

To the highest and best bidder, conditional also upon the drilling of a well in the near vicinity of the above described land.

Said sale to be held in the County Court Room of Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, at the time above stated.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1919. J. W. PEGG, Guardian.  
J. L. SKINNER, Attorney.

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East 20 acres of Lot 4, and West half of Southeast quarter of Southeast quarter of Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter of section 7; and Northwest quarter of Northeast quarter, and Northeast quarter of Northwest quarter, and Northwest 10.37 acres of Lot 1, and West 20 acres of Lot 1, of section 18, all in Township 5 North, Range 9 East, containing 160.37 acres.

Said oil and gas lease will be sold on the following terms and conditions, to-wit:

To the highest and best bidder, conditional also upon the drilling of a well on some portion of the above described land.

Said sale to be held in the County Court Room of Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, at the time above stated.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1919. E. T. GILMORE, Guardian.  
J. L. SKINNER, Attorney.

### Notice to the Public.

All parties are forbidden to enter the grounds of the Fair Association north of Ada without a written order from the manager. This applies to everybody. So take notice and avoid prosecution for trespassing.

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## In Flanders Fields

—several former East Central Normal students are sleeping the eternal sleep. In honor of these beloved dead and the hundreds of other Normal students who served their country, let us all have a liberal share in the erection of the Memorial Gateway.

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## TODAY'S RELIGIOUS THOUGHT

John the Forerunner.

Read Luke 11:1-18.

John was the forerunner of Jesus, and it was he that aroused the people from their lethargy. He touched the national conscience by his preaching and made the people wide-eyed with expectancy. He bore witness of the Light. If we read the above verses we will find some elements in the character of this quaint character concerning whom Jesus spoke the greatest compliment that ever had utterance concerning any man. We note that John stood lone and yet was unafraid. It is a great aid to a soldier's bravery to have a comrad at his side and touch elbows with him. But John stood alone and lived in the desert. But he was brave just the same and never flinched. John was a great dreamer and yet he was intensely practical. John was extremely stern and yet was wonderfully humble. John had imperfect views of Christ and yet glorified Christ.

Seeing as Well.

By a Frenchman's invention as a language student hears a word spoken by a phonograph he also sees it appear on a printed roll in conjunction with its translation in his own tongue.

Cuckoo Brings Good Luck.

There is an old superstition prevalent in many parts of England that, if you turn the money you have in your pocket when first you hear the cuckoo in the spring, you will not suffer from lack of cash all through the year.

## AS YOUNG AS YOUR KIDNEYS

The secret of youth is **ELIMINATION OF POISONS** from your body. This done, you can live to be a hundred and enjoy the good things of life with as much "pep" as you did when in the springtime of youth. Keep your body in good condition, that's the secret. Watch the kidneys. They filter and purify the blood, all of which blood passes through them once every three minutes. Keep them clean and in proper working condition and you have wastes and deadly uric acid accumulations from your system. Take **GOLD MEDAL Haaslem Oil Capsules** and you will always be in good condition. You will feel strong and vigorous, with steady nerves and elastic muscles. **GOLD MEDAL Haaslem Oil Capsules** are imported direct from the laboratories at Haaslem, Holland. They are a reliable remedy which has been used by the sturdy Dutch for over 200 years, and has helped them to develop into one of the strongest and healthiest races of the world. Get them from your druggist. Do not take a substitute. In sealed packages—three sizes.

## MICKIE SAYS

SAY, FOLKS! WHEN YOU WRITE PIECES FOR THE PAPER, FOR THE LOVE OF MIKE, SIGN YOUR NAME TO 'EM SO THE BOSS WON'T THROW 'EM ON THE FLOOR FOR ME TO PICK UP. HE SAYS AN UNSIGNED LETTER AINT ANY BETTER THAN AN UNSIGNED CHECK!



## Repentant Patsy.

Minnie and her little dog, Patsy, were playing in the kitchen. Minnie's mamma was cooking supper and stumbled over Patsy, causing her to drop an egg on the freshly scrubbed floor. She put Patsy out on the porch and seated Minnie in a corner. In a few moments Patsy scratched on the door and began barking. Minnie said to her mother: "Mamma, can Patsy come in now? He's sorry. Don't you hear him 'pologizing?'"

## Rugby Football.

At the famous school of Rugby, England, originated that form of football, now bearing the name of the school. An inscription, at Rugby reads: "This stone commemorates the exploit of William Webb Ellis, who, with a fine disregard for the rules of football, as played in his time, first took the ball in his arms and ran with it, thus originating the distinctive feature of the rugby game. A. D. 1823."

Some people have luck — others have Kelly-Springfield Tires. The trouble with luck—you can't depend on it. Fleet Cooper, Service First. 4-10-9t.

Any lady who has not bought her spring suit, can find a few real new, smart ones at Burk's. 4-11-2t

Let a Want Ad. get it for you.

## Australian Pearls.

Pearls that come from the coast of Australia are of many shapes and colors. Those under ten grains are sold by the ounce, above that by the grain. Color has a deal to do with the value. The white pearls go mostly to Europe and the yellow ones to India. In Australia an ounce of good white pearls will fetch up to \$100, but sometimes realize only a fifth of that amount. The yellow pearls may be rated on an average of about half the value of the white ones.

A "system regulator" is a medicine that purifies and strengthens the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. Prickly Ash Bitters is one the best of these. It drives out unhealthy conditions, promotes activity of body and brain, restores good appetite, sound sleep and cheerful spirits.

Gwin & Mays Drug Co., Special Agents. Price \$1.00 per Bottle.

Men's silk shirts—keen ones.—Burk's. 4-11-2t

## Try to Be Agreeable.

We should wisely cultivate the art of being agreeable, not only in the company of our business associates or those persons whom we meet socially but in our own homes as well. By thus deporting ourselves we shall find life more pleasant and people in general—the home folks in particular—more considerate. On the other hand, if we continue to think only of ourselves we shall find life a trying affair.—Exchange.

After a long winter the system becomes filled with impurities caused by dry, strong diet. In hot weather these impurities causes sickness. Get rid of them now by taking Prickly Ash Bitters. It will purify the blood, liver and bowels and put the body in shape for summer work.

Gwin & Mays Drug Co., Special Agents. Price \$1.25 per Bottle.

See me before equipping your car. Try Racine tires.—Ford Service Station 229-231 East Main. 3-12-1mo

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## NORMAL LOSES BY ONE POINT

TEACHERS AND SHAWNEE LADS PLAY GREAT GAME OF BALL. NORMAL IMPROVING.

It was a real baseball game the East Central Normal teachers and the Shawnee High school played on the Normal grounds last afternoon. The teachers losing by one point, 2 to 3. There was little difference in the strength of the two nines, and had it not been for the fact that the game had to be called at the end of the seventh inning to permit the visitors to make a train, it is entirely possible that the local lads would have connected with a victory.

In the first inning Ada put over one run, but the visitors tied it in the second. With a score of 1 to 1, the game went to the fifth inning, when Shawnee managed to send over two men taking the lead by that many runs. Ada added one in the sixth. In the last of the seventh Ada had two men on the bases when the side was retired.

Ingram proved a problem for the visitors. He kept his hits scattered so that runs could not be garnered. On the whole the support given him was not bad. He was especially effective with his underhand delivery, striking out many of the opposing batters.

With only a few weeks in which to practice, Coach Newcomb has produced a baseball team of great playing ability. The team shows distinctly superior form to that displayed against Francis in a practice game last week.

**Oklahoma News Brevities.**  
Maud—The store of Geo. E. Truscott & Sons was entered by burglars who carried off goods estimated at \$150.

Maud—S. A. Doyle has resigned as postmaster and R. P. Witt has been appointed acting postmaster.

Konawa—H. D. Mahaffey of Oklahoma City has been employed as secretary of the Wewoka chamber of commerce.

Okemah—The superior court of Okfuska county will be abolished Jan. 1, 1920, under terms of a bill enacted by the recent legislature.

Durant—The number of persons in Bryan county killed in the recent cyclone is now ascertained to be eleven.

Stop at Mrs. Land's Sunday afternoon for a dish of rich, pure, home-made ice cream. It's made to satisfy as well as to sell. 4-11-21

Let a Want Ad get it for \$60.

## HUNS UP TO OLD TRICKS

GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTER IS CHARGED WITH STIRRING UP REBELLION.

ZURICH (Correspondence of Associated Press) — Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, foreign minister in the Ebert cabinet, and selected as one of the German delegates to the peace conference, was involved in the recent attempt by Germany and German Austria to stir up and armed rebellion against the Czech-Slovaks, according to a special correspondent writing from Prague.

The alleged plot was discovered by the Czech-Slovak authorities when they arrested Dr. Paul Schwarz, German vice-consul at Prague, and one of his female agents, Julia Phalen.

## NEWS ITEMS OF THE WEEK AT FRANCIS

From Francis Wigwam.

Mr. Leonard who is drilling at the Oil State well, happened to a painful accident while putting down casing. His finger got caught in the moving cable and was almost severed from his hand.

Judge Hammond, an old time citizen of Francis, is here visiting his son Powell who has been in the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Grimes and daughter will leave this week for Oklahoma City, where they will make their home.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hardwick a fine pair of twin boys.

Mr. Kearns who is drilling a well at Ranger, Tex., is visiting his family here this week.

Mesdames Blankenship, Sampson and Powell are in Guthrie attending the Eastern Star grand lodge.

Anabel Glenn, Frisco operator, was an Ada visitor Sunday.

Virde Cody returned Monday from Armore where she has been visiting for the past three weeks.

Hester Huckins who has been visiting relatives in Missouri returned home Monday.

Roy Henson aged twenty-five, passed away in Muskogee, Okla., April 6th, 1919. He had been in ill health for some time. Roy lived in Francis for a number of years and was a boy every one liked. His untimely death was met with regret by his many friends here. The Wigwam extends sympathy to his bereaved parents.

Monday just as the sun was peeping over the eastern hills, the bridge was first crossed by Dr. Threlkeld and a party of five were the first to cross in Seminole county, while Mrs. Fleet and Mrs. Twinam were the first to come into Pontotoc county.

## WEEK'S EVENTS AT STONEWALL

From Stonewall News.

Chas. Barnett is taking an examination before the State Pharmacy board in Oklahoma City this week.

A post card from Jacob Deise, received this week, states he is again on United States soil, having landed in New York last week.

The pie supper at Frisco last Friday night brought in the neat sum of \$105.00. The proceeds will go into a fund to purchase a piano for the school.

Geo. Wheeler returned this week from France, where he was stationed by Uncle Sam. While he was glad of the opportunity to serve his country, he states that he is glad to be home again.

Rastus Horn of Tennessee, is visiting his sister Mrs. J. H. Davis. Mr. Horn was a member of the 30th division and only recently returned from France.

The called meeting at the city hall last Friday night was well attended, and it was the unanimous opinion of those present that a commercial club to pull for a bigger and better Stonewall be permanently organized. The following were elected as the first officers of the newly organized club: J. C. Walker, president; C. C. Burrows, vice president; W. S. Furlong, secretary-treasurer; D. G. Johnson, Date Crawford, W. W. Gaines, J. W. Denton and J. M. Byrd were placed on the executive committee.

### A Stunt Party.

A stunt party will be given at the Normal school Monday night. Each class will "pull off a stunt," expecting of course to outdo the rest of the classes. While very little time has been given to practicing, it is believed that the evening will prove enjoyable. The public is invited to attend the party.

### Will Bar Food From Bavaria.

By the Associated Press  
BERLIN, April 12. — A special dispatch from Bamberg to the Vossische Zeitung says the German government has announced that the entente powers have informed it that Bavaria is not to be included in the conclusion of the peace treaty and that measures will be taken to prevent any entente foodstuffs from reaching Bavaria.

Swell assortment of Easter Dresses at Burk's. 4-11-21

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Get it at Gwin & Mays. Smith sells refrigerator. Have your Photo made at West's. That Hood tire is some tire.

3-12-11

Easter Dresses in great variety. Burk's. 4-11-21

L. D. Jeter went to Tupelo Friday.

Bring in that picture and let me frame it for you.—C. A. Cummins. 1-15-11

Prof. C. W. White was in from Lulu today.

Full line of men's wear.—Burk's. 4-11-21

J. W. Brown returned this morning from Oklahoma City.

The richest, purest and best ice cream is found at Mrs. Land's. 4-11-21

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Dillworth left today for Coleman, Texas.

Vegetable plants, sweet and hot peppers, egg plant, tomatoes and sweet potato slips. We deliver.—Ada Greenhouse. 4-9-11

L. A. Braly left this morning for a business trip to Shamrock, Texas.

Dependable Battery Service. Prompt and Efficient. ADA BATTERY CO., at Fleet Cooper Garage. 4-10-91.

C. T. Bates of the Ada Music Company transacted business in Oklahoma City Friday.

"Earliest of All," "Ponderosa," and "Success" tomatoes; very best—now ready. Call and see me.—B. F. Stegall. 4-7-61.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dougherty of Shawnee are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gladwell.

Cabbage, tomato and other plants ready now. See B. F. Stegall, one block northwest Frisco depot. 4-7-61.

The Guaranty State bank is having the interior of its quarters painted and otherwise renovated.

Tornado season is here. Protect your property from this hazard at a very small cost.—Ebey, Sugg & Co. 4-10-11

Cloudy and colder is the rather unpromising weather outlook for Sunday.

Finest mens blue serge suit made for \$35.00.—Burk's. 4-11-21

Misses Reba and Grace Shelton are over from Ardmore spending the week-end with their mother.

Dependable Battery Service. Prompt and Efficient. ADA BATTERY CO., at Fleet Cooper Garage. 4-10-91.

Mrs. John Agnew of the News force left this afternoon for a visit to Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ufer left today for Toledo, Ohio, at which place they will make their future home.

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild will sell Easter eggs April 19th. Phone orders to 312. 11.

Mrs. J. F. M. Harris was called to Oklahoma City Friday on account of the illness of her grand-daughter.

C. W. Raines returned with his wife from Geary, Oklahoma, Friday night, to make Ada their permanent home.

This is the ELEVENTH year trash should be in the alley box, else the mayor will get you and fine you ten BIG ROCKS.

Misses Alice and Eva Sparks and Florence Prevost went to Coalgate this morning to attend a dance at that place this evening.

F. A. Word, who has been appointed registrar for the third ward, can be found at his store, Seventh and Johnston, by any who desire to register in time for the road bond election.

Mrs. Land's ice cream is more than a commercial product. It's made to draw repeat orders. 4-11-21

Foot fitting a specialty—all widths in Oxfords and Pumps.—Burk's. 4-11-21

T. D. Goodpasture of near Knox reports that the big rain did quite a little damage to corn crops and ground prepared for cotton, washing up much of the young corn and packing the ground. High water did some damage in the bottoms.

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild will sell Easter eggs April 19th. Phone orders to 312. 11.

It's foolish to cook all day Sunday when you can eat a big chicken dinner at Mrs. Land's for six bits.

Bring the wife and kiddies. 4-11-21

Leon's Bright Remedy for sale at Gwin & Mays Drug Store. Guaranteed. 2-27-2mo\*

R. R. Ragsdale, being the victim of a severe case of tonsillitis went to his home this afternoon at Tishomingo for "repairs."

Dependable Battery Service. Prompt and Efficient. ADA BATTERY CO., at Fleet Cooper Garage. 4-10-91.

W. D. Little has received a letter from his brother, Bryce, who is now in St. John's College, Cambridge University, England. He was selected from his division to attend one of the famous English Universities and was fortunate enough to get in Cambridge.

While in France he was confidential clerk to the chief of staff of the Thirtieth Division, or Old Hickory Division.

John R. Lee has returned from overseas after nearly two years of army service. He went from Ada in May, 1917, and enlisted at Coffeyville, Kansas. He was with the first division, Twenty-eighth infantry, and was with the Second section of the first division which landed in France in the nick of time to turn the tide against the Huns. He was stationed on the Alsace-Lorraine sector for a time and took part in the fighting at Chateau Thierry and in the Argonne forest. He was wounded once by shrapnel and also gassed. He was in Paris when President Wilson arrived. Like the other returned soldiers, he says he would not take any amount for the experience he has had, but would not give a dime for any more of it.

Misses Opal and Jewel Truax of Frisco are the guests of their sister, Mrs. John Crawford.

## A DEBT TO PAY

Not to honor the boys who went from our Normal school to war is to leave unpaid a solemn obligation. Can anyone afford not to have a financial interest in this monument?



## GOVERNMENT OVERTHROWN

REPORTED SOVIET REGIME OF MUNICH PUT DOWN BY FORCE OF ARMS.

By the Associated Press

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## MUCH RIVALRY IN HIGH SCHOOL MEET

The High School Field Meet was held on the new track constructed on the south side of the school building. Much rivalry was shown between the squads of the military units. The girls of the High School grouped themselves as "rooters" for their favorite squads. The interest shown by the patrons of the city was quite disappointing as a very small crowd was present. The boys are very enthusiastic in the anticipation of District Meet to be held here next week. The records made Friday which were very satisfactory will be published in Monday's issue.

### NORMAL TEACHERS JUDGE COUNTY TRACK MEETS

A number of the normal teachers were out yesterday and today assisting in the track meets of the various counties. There were additional calls that could not be filled without dismissing the school.

Professor Perkins was a judge at Shawnee in a debate between Shawnee High and the Norman High. Mr. Perkins says it was one of the best high school debates he ever listened to. Shawnee won the unanimous decision of the judges.

Mr. Molloy went to Muskogee to judge between Muskogee High and the Oklahoma City High. Miss Turner is helping in the track meet at Holdenville. Mr. Wilson at Sulphur, and Mr. Newcomb at Roff. Mr. Pratt went to Pleasant Hill Friday night and Mr. MacMillan goes to Tyrola tonight.

Capt. Virgil Riddle, who was appointed to a position in the University of Oklahoma, received his discharge from the army one day before he received his appointment. He is now endeavoring to get his discharge revoked, in order that he may accept the position, but does not know how successful he will be in the endeavor.

For stout ladies we have a few pretty Suits and Coats in large sizes.—Burk's. 4-11-21

## WANT ADS

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Competent girl for house work. Phone 218.—J. R. Kitchel. 4-12-11\*

WANTED—Two nice working girls to room and give breakfast. Can have privilege of quiet, modern home.—Mrs. L. J. McCain, 313 W. 16th. 4-12-21\*